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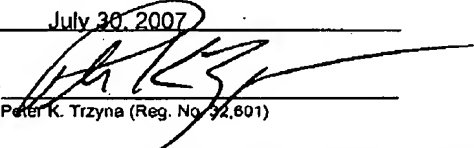
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Inventor	:	RYAN, Raymond B.
Serial No.	:	10/816,014
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For	:	EQUITY BASED INCENTIVE COMPENSATION PLAN COMPUTER SYSTEM
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Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

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Raymond B. Ryan, Managing Member, Equity Based Incentive Compensation, LLC

Date

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Equity Based Incentive Compensation, LLC, a Corporation
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Raymond B. Ryan
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May 10, 2007
 Date

Raymond B. Ryan, Managing Member

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WHEREAS, EQUITY BASED INCENTIVE COMPENSATION, LLC, (hereinafter, the "Assignee"), a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Delaware, having an address at 30 Old Kings Highway South, Suite 250, Dairen, CT 06820, has an acknowledged right to the entire right, title, and interest therein, thereto, and thereunder, including, patent rights and any applications and patents related thereto or claiming priority therefrom;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of ten dollars (\$10.00) in hand paid to me,

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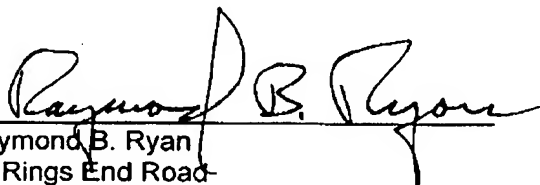
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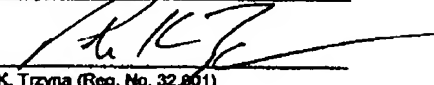
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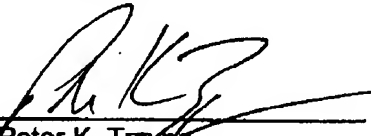
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WHEREAS, Wendy J. Engel and Raymond B. Ryan are the named inventors for U.S. Patent Application No. 10/375,770, titled "System and Method to Minimize Accounting Volatility From Owning Equities and Other Investment Assets" and filed February 27, 2003;

WHEREAS, Wendy J. Engel and Raymond B. Ryan wish to pursue separate businesses and to facilitate so doing, hereby enter this agreement to assign ("Agreement") as set forth below their interests and/or claims to the above named U.S. patent applications.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other valuable and legally sufficient consideration, the receipt of which by Wendy J. Engel from Raymond B. Ryan is hereby acknowledged for a first assignment, and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), and other valuable and legally sufficient consideration, the receipt of which by Raymond B. Ryan from Wendy J. Engel is hereby acknowledged for a second assignment, Wendy J. Engel and Raymond B. Ryan agree as follows:

Raymond B. Ryan quit claims and by these presents does hereby quit claim any and all right he, his successors and assigns, may have, including the right to sue and collect for past damages, in and to U.S. Application No. 10/375,770. This quit claim is to Wendy J. Engel as described above as the first assignment.

Wendy J. Engel quit claims and by these presents does hereby quit claim any and all right she, her successors and assigns, may have, including the right to sue and collect for past damages, in and to U.S. Application No. 10/816,014. This quit claim is to Raymond B. Ryan as described above as the second assignment.

Both of the above quit claims respectively constitute a sale, assignment, transfer, and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer, and set over, unto the other, its successors, and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in, to, and under any and all inventions disclosed or described in the above-identified respective patent applications and any and all rights thereto, including the above-identified respective patent applications, any and all United States and foreign patents which may be granted pursuant thereto, and any and all United States and foreign applications, continuations,

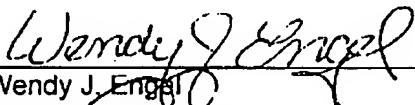
divisions, renewals, and substitutes thereof, as well as any reissues or reexamination patent(s); and each hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue all Letters Patent for said respective inventions to the corresponding assignee its successors, and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

Each assignor agrees to communicate to the respective assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, any facts known respecting said invention, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing, and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths, and generally do everything possible to aid the respective assignee, its successors, legal representatives, and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection in accordance with this agreement.

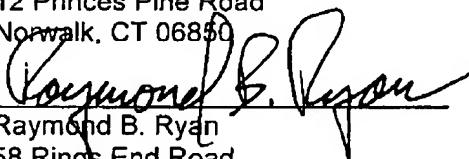
The effective date of this Assignment is July 18, 2005.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Grantors of the Quit Claims and the Assignors have executed this agreement.

DATED: Dec. 20, 2005


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